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RESPONSE AFTER FINAL ACTION
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SECOND AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION
WITH REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Advisory Action mailed on September 16, 2002, in further
 response to the final Office Action dated July 16, 2002 and further to the Amendment filed on
 July 25, 2002.

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136 and 1.17(a), a one-month extension of the period for reply
 i.e., to up to and including November 16, 2002, is respectfully requested. The Commissioner is
 authorized to charge the fee of \$110.00, and any additional fee occasioned by this paper, or
 credit any overpayment of such fees, to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.